

BURIED UNDER AUTO

Young Woman of Camp Lake is Seriously Injured When Auto Turns Turtle

OTHERS ESCAPE INJURY

Pleasure Riders Thrown From Car Near the Flemming Farm Sunday Morning

Another joyride came to grief in Kenosha county just after 10 o'clock Sunday morning when Miss Elizabeth Balasky, of Camp Lake met serious injury and three other people had a narrow escape from death. The automobile in which the four were riding turned turtle into a ditch near the Flemming farm just north of the village of Trevor. Miss Balasky was buried under the debris of the car and when she was removed it was found that she had suffered a compound fracture of the right ankle. The bones had pushed through the skin and condition was so serious that physicians attending her at first feared that it would be necessary to amputate the foot.

The automobile was owned and driven by Harold Fleucker of Silver Lake, the son of the proprietor of a meat market at the village. On Saturday evening quite a party had gone to the home of Joseph Kameon near Trevor to attend a christening. The merriment had continued for a good portion of the night. Both Fleucker and Miss Balasky had been guests at the christening and during the night Fleucker had taken out several parties in his automobile, which instead of the regular touring car body had a box which had been used for delivery purposes. Fleucker had started with Miss Balasky, Miss Kameon and another man, the name of whom has not been discovered, just after eight o'clock. They had been to the village of Trevor and were returning to the Kameon home when the accident took place. It is declared that the automobile was running at a very high speed and it is supposed that it struck some small obstruction on the road and was overturned. Fleucker and Miss Kameon and the unknown member of the party are said to have been thrown 50 feet from the wrecked car while the other young woman was buried under the wreck. She was taken to Lamb's Hotel at Camp Lake and later removed to the Kameon home.

The accident caused great excitement at Camp Lake and surrounding neighborhood as all the people connected with it are well known in that part of the county.

Although badly injured Miss Balasky is said to be getting along nicely at the present time.

SAVED FROM DEATH BY LONG TRESSLES

Miss Florence Kennedy employed as a stenographer at the Sheldon school, Rockefeller, had a miraculous escape from drowning in Lake Erie, last Wednesday afternoon. Miss Kennedy fell from a bridge which crosses the lake, and was rescued by a girl chum after she had disappeared a second time under the icy waters.

With Miss Molly Luddy, who likewise is employed at the Sheldon school, Rockefeller, Miss Kennedy was standing on a bridge that crossed the artificial lake. In some manner she lost her balance and fell into fourteen feet of water.

Her shout for help was heard by Phillip Strand, another employee of the school. In a second he reached the scene. Miss Kennedy, it is said, was pulled from the icy waters of the lake by her hair. She was unconscious when rescued and was not revived until she had been rolled over a barrel.

Miss Luddy, it is said, made a narrow escape from drowning when attempting to rescue her chum.

Miss Kennedy was taken to her home in Waukegan late Wednesday night. Since her arrival she has been confined to her bed. An attempt was made to keep the news of the rescue from the people of Waukegan, but a friend gave the first facts to a reporter.

The news of the rescue was verified by employees of the school near Rockefeller. Miss Kennedy will resume her work soon.

TO LAY CORNER STONE

Waukegan's New Postoffice Building to be Laid Saturday, May 7

The corner stone of the new Waukegan Federal building, corner of Washington and Utica streets, will be laid amid impressive ceremonies on Saturday, May 17.

The sickness of Postmaster Watrous has caused a delay in plans for the eventful occurrence, but it is the hope that one of the biggest ceremonies of the kind ever held in the city will mark the laying of the corner stone of Waukegan's new \$100,000 postoffice building.

It is understood that the Masons of Waukegan will take an active part in the ceremony and it is planned to have former Congressman Foss, who obtained the appropriation for the structure, go there as a guest of honor. Congressman Thompson, his successor, may also be there providing he is able to leave Washington.

It is also planned to have other men of prominence there and the suggestion has been advanced by some that business places of the city close for an hour during the ceremony which will accompany the corner stone laying.

Work on the building is progressing very satisfactorily. Men are now engaged in laying the big iron girders which will support the main floor and the building has begun to assume shape and give indications of being a real building.

It is not yet known just what will be placed in the corner stone but it is certain the receptacle will contain among other things:

A copy of the Waukegan Daily Sun.

A copy of the Lake County Independent.

A copy of every other paper in Lake county.

A picture of former Congressman Foss and of Congressman Thompson.

A list of officers of the city of Waukegan.

A list of Lake county officers.

A list of postoffice employees.

Names of the builders of the structure, together with cast, etc.

Postmaster Watrous will complete the list as soon as he is able to get to his office.

DIES OF PARALYTIC STROKE

Well Known Resident of Gurnee Passes Away Suddenly

John McClure, one of the best known residents of Gurnee died suddenly at his home at 6 o'clock Monday evening, following a stroke paralysis which he sustained at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. McClure was 66 years old and had lived in Gurnee a greater part of his life, being one of the successful farmers and wealthy and influential men of the community.

Mr. McClure had worked in the field in the forenoon Monday and in the afternoon was about the house. About 2:30 o'clock he went into the house, telling his folks that his head ached considerably. He sat down and in a half hour his side was stricken and he gradually grew worse despite the efforts of doctors to aid him.

The McClure home stands just west of the St. Paul tracks at Gurnee, across the street from the Beldier place. The old McClure farm which he operated many years before moving to Gurnee lies about a mile north of Gurnee.

Mr. McClure leaves a wife and two children, Rowley, who is married and who lives near his father's home, and Leslie who is unmarried and lives at home. Mr. McClure leaves a sister, Mrs. McCullough, also of Gurnee. He was a brother of the late Thomas McClure.

BOARD OF REVIEW APPOINTED BY JUDGE PERSONS

Judge Perry L. Persons has appointed Frank B. Huber as the Democratic member of the Lake County Board of Review. As Antioch has never had an appointive office on this board since its organization, we appreciate the courtesy extended our townsman, who is worthy and well qualified to fill this important position.

The other members of the board are: Edward Conrad, Waukegan, who is chairman of the Supervisors automatically becomes chairman of the board of review. Dennis L. Putman, Waukegan, Republican member, who served as chief clerk of the board in 1912.

With Antioch, Waukegan can likewise say that this is the first time since the organization of the Board of Review that any recognition has fallen to its share.

The fact that Judge Persons has made his selections from two heretofore passed-by localities has won for him much favorable comment.

The Board will go into session not later than the third Monday in June and must complete their work the first week in September.

HEYDECKER HEADS CO. ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting of Lake County Camps Held at Waukegan

MANY ATTEND MEETING

Committee Named to Attend National Provincial Association at Springfield, May 15-16

The Lake County Woodmen Protective Association held its annual meeting at Woodman hall, Waukegan, May 8, at 1 o'clock p. m. The association was called to order by C. T. Heydecker. Roll call showed a large majority of the camps in the county in attendance, through their delegates.

The first piece of business was the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the following were unanimously elected:

President—C. T. Heydecker (Lake Camp.)

Vice President—Alfred C. Maether, (Prairie View Camp.)

Secretary—J. C. James (Antioch Camp.)

Treasurer—Thomas Strang (Wadsworth Camp.)

It was on motion carried that an executive committee of five be appointed to act in connection with the officers named above, to act as an executive committee. The chair appointed the following:

Elden W. Miller, Libertyville Camp; Henry Patch, Russell Camp; W. F. Edwards, Highland Park Camp; Geo. Trout, Ivanhoe Camp; C. W. Talbot, Lake Villa Camp.

Bills against the association were examined and on motion ordered paid. The president suggested the selection of three delegates to attend the National Provincial Association Meeting to be held at Springfield May 15 and 16. The chair was authorized to appoint three such delegates.

The following were named: Elden Miller, Libertyville, Herman Holtje, Prairie View; W. F. Edwards, Highland Park. With alternates William Hoban, Waukegan; P. H. Carr, Waukegan; W. B. Lewin, Russell.

The executive committee was authorized and empowered to draw orders on the funds of the association for bills and expenses by them audited.

General discussion on the good of the order was indulged in by nearly all of the members present. An address delivered by Brother Patterson, one of the State Committeemen from Chicago.

On motion it was ordered that the president and secretary issue credentials for the delegates and alternates, elected to membership in the Woodmen National Convention to be held at Springfield, Illinois.

On motion the association adjourned, subject to the call of the executive committee.

C. T. Heydecker, President. Wm. Hoban, Secretary.

WEST GRAY IS BADLY HURT WHILE LOADING GRAVEL

West Gray, a deputy sheriff of Lake county residing at Gurnee, was the victim of a very painful injury a few days ago as the result of which the muscles and flesh of his left arm were torn and ground considerably. It will be some time before he will be able to use the injured member.

He was loading a wagon with gravel at the gravel pits and was holding the lines with one hand while he held one of the front wheels with the other. He started the team, but they swung about and his left arm was caught between the wheel and the wagon box.

He hurried to the home of Dr. Young of Gurnee where the injured member was treated. Mr. Gray is well known here being a brother of Wm. Gray of this village.

When We Are Middle-aged. The simplest and most convincing answer to the question raised in your columns, "When are people middle-aged?" can be given in a few words—"When they prefer comfort to pleasure."—London Daily News.

SLAV STABS TWO MEN

Jos Thresher and Ed Smith of Libertyville are Victims of Foreigner

TINY PEANUT CAUSES ROW

Affair Started on Street Car and Wound up at 16th Street, North Chicago, at Midnight

The innocent throwing of a peanut Sunday night on an electric car between Waukegan and North Chicago has endangered the life of one Libertyville man and brought injuries to another which while not so serious as his companion's, are severe enough to lay him up for some time, the two men having been the victims of a stabbing affray in which a foreigner was the assailant using his pocket knife as his weapon.

The victims: Joe Thresher, Libertyville, who received a deep cut on his left side near the lung; is so deep that his condition is alarming.

Ed Smith, Libertyville, received four stabs on the back and shoulder, none as deep as that sustained by Thresher.

The assailant was: Joseph Petroh, a Slav living in North Chicago, who is now in arrest in the North Chicago station, the charge against him being held open pending developments in Thresher's condition.

The men left Waukegan on one of the last cars Sunday night. As it approached along Marion street, somebody threw a peanut which hit Petroh and he resented the act, believing that the two Libertyville men who were near him had hit him with the nut.

The men got wrangling over the peanut and who threw it and as the car approached 16th street, Petroh dared the two Libertyville men to get off the car and settle matters. They agreed, the car was stopped and they all got off on the platform. There, before the two men could determine what he was to do Petroh drew his open knife from his pocket and started slashing them.

Dean Shoup and Richard Landers had accompanied the men to watch the scrap and they helped the two victims as they fell to the ground and Petroh made his way into the darkness. They called aid from the police and the two victims were taken to the village hall.

Dr. Jolly was called and he dressed their wounds. They remained at the village hall all night being unable to get home because of their injuries and because there was no car homeward bound. Monday morning they went home and both will be laid up for some time.

Thresher's escape from instant death was a miracle. The wound, which is large enough to admit one's finger, grazed the lung and being but two inches below the heart, it is seen there was not much to spare between him and death. Smith's injuries were not so bad as the knife did not penetrate so deeply.

Smith's wounds consist of one cut in the arm-pit likely sustained as he threw his arm up for defense; one in the breast, one in the back and one on the neck. Smith is a carpenter by trade.

ANTIOCH BALL CLUB HAS FIRST TRY OUT

The ball game on last Sunday between Lake Villa and Antioch resulted in a score of 24 to 3 in favor of Antioch. This was in the nature of a try-out for both teams and had the tendency to show that we have good material here and some individual "crack"ers. A movement is now on foot to give a dance at the opera house on Wednesday, May 21, for the benefit of the club to procure suits and other necessary paraphernalia, and the indications are that Antioch will have one of the fastest teams in the county.

Football Egotism. The true egotist is the man who imagines he is attracting attention to his particular line of comedy in a crowd of baseball rooters.

DEATH OF WM. BARTLETT

Passes Away Saturday Morning After Long Illness

Last Saturday morning soon after the clock had pointed to the hour of eight Mr. William G. Bartlett, a resident of this village for the past nineteen years quietly gave up the burden of life and passed into the great beyond, at the age of 69 years, 5 months and 25 days.

For the past seventeen years he had been in declining health, at times being under the care of physicians and at other times improving to a marked degree but always to those nearest him, his decline was perceptible. For the past nine months he had been confined to his bed, but these days were not unmingled with pain, he bore his lot with fortitude, his only wish being that others might not be called upon to share a similar misfortune.

He was born Nov. 15, 1843, at Rumney, Grafton county, New Hampshire, and came west with his parents when he was still a young boy and settled in Lake county where he has resided ever since. In 1864 he enlisted from Waukegan in Company D, 146 regiment, Volunteer Infantry, and served until he was discharged for disability in 1865. He married Emma Lindsley of Libertyville, March 14, 1867 and to this union two children were born, William, who died in infancy and Mrs. Nellie Ziegler, who with her mother are left to mourn his loss.

Mr. Bartlett loved his country with the undying love of only those who fought and suffered for its cause. He loved the stars and stripes and in the last few weeks asked that his cherished flag might be placed where he could see it clearly and when his wish was complied with he tendered it a soldier's salute.

He was converted soon after his marriage and united with the Presbyterian church at Libertyville, but during his residence here his membership has been with the Methodist church. The passion of his life was his love for his Savior Jesus Christ. By preference he talked much of religion and often spoke of dying and the life beyond, never expressing anything but the utmost confidence in his God. To him death was only the passage way to Life and the repeating of the 23rd Psalm was to him a comfort and a joy. In his bible he had written the name of Jesus with his own blood, as a token that Jesus had shed his blood for him. To the last he spoke words of appreciation of others and declared that there was not one lingering feeling of ill will towards any human being.

The funeral services were held at the home Monday afternoon with Rev. Stixrud officiating and Mrs. D. Ferris singing the hymns months ago selected by the deceased. The remains were laid at rest in the Hillside cemetery.

SOIL EXPERT FOR COUNTY

Meeting Held in Antioch Friday and Committee Appointed

Last Friday afternoon a meeting was held in Antioch the purpose of which was to further interest in the matter of obtaining the services of a soil expert for the county. Matters were talked over and it was deemed advisable to ask each farmer to contribute \$5 to the cause the balance required to make up the necessary \$10,000 for the employment of the services of such an expert will be made up by the millionaires on the north shore.

The farmers will have the benefit of calling upon the expert at any time for any desired information in regard to agriculture, and it is believed by those back of the movement that under such direction that the soil of Lake county may be brought back to its former productiveness and the farmer thereby materially aided.

At this meeting a committee was appointed, each member to solicit the above mentioned \$5 from the farmers in his own locality, those named to serve were: Frank Kennedy, Chase Webb, David White, A. N. Tiffany, Fred Hatch, E. L. Simons and J. E. Brook.

It Was Tough. "Will you give me a pie, madam," asked the tramp, "if I saw ye some wood?" The woman agreed to this bargain, gave the man a pie and started him in the direction of the woodpile. In three minutes he was back at the door saying, "Madam, if it's all one to you, I'll eat the wood an' saw the pie."

Manager Was Wiso. Leading Tragic Man—"Did you see how I paralyzed the audience in the death scene? They were crying all over the house!" Stage Manager—"Yes, they knew you weren't really dead."—Tit-Bits.

WAUCONDA HAS BIG GALA DAY

Formal Opening of New Railroad Marks Progress of Inland Village

NOW ON MAP FOR SURE

Saturday Witnessed Largest Celebration Ever Held on Similar Occasion

Saturday was the biggest day in Wauconda's career.

The little village, which, up to then has been the most secluded municipal corporation in Lake county, through having no railroad connections, was put on the map for keeps because the village's first railroad was Saturday made a reality.

The day was an all-important one to the villagers and to those near because of the fact the first train was run into the village over the new Palatine, Lake Zurich & Wauconda railroad, the enterprise which has been financed by residents of western Lake county and northern Cook county. The last spike in the tracks was driven Saturday amid impressive ceremonies, this act following a huge parade which made the old timers sit up and take notice as they beheld the transformation which apparently has been wrought in the makeup and life of Wauconda, which hitherto has been a staid, quiet, unassuming little village which was almost off the map of existence because it has had no railroad connections.

Hundreds of people gathered in the village to help celebrate the dedication of the new railroad which runs through Lake Zurich from Palatine which promises to do more for the community than anything else that has ever happened. Everybody was up bright and early and villages all took a keen interest in this, the biggest event the villagers have ever seen. Politicians gathered there from all parts of Lake county and even Cook county politicians were also in evidence.

In fact, the day was a general holiday in the western part of Lake county for everybody who could plan it, a point to be at Wauconda to see the first train ever run into the village.

The big man of the day was J. K. Orvis, Waukegan attorney, who for a year or so past has devoted most of his time to promoting this railroad enterprise a man who gave up a lucrative law practice in Waukegan to see this railroad enterprise through. While the president of the road and other officials perhaps occupied more of a position from a conspicuous standpoint the fact is that J. K. Orvis was the big man of the day for had it not been for him there would have been no ceremony of the kind held—for there would have been no road leading into Wauconda. This is the general belief of people living in the vicinity of Wauconda and Palatine.

Only through Mr. Orvis' determination to have this road built and his zeal in carrying along the details personally seeing to their consummation, was it possible to interest enough people in the country to raise the money necessary to build the road without aid from financiers. This road has been built by small subscriptions of people along the route and in the village affected therefore it is a county affair pure and simple. The road was promoted a few years ago by R. D. Wynn, another Waukegan man who interested Mr. Orvis in the project and stayed with it for a time later retiring when Mr. Orvis assumed the position of promoter and builder.

Brevity. Barber (beginning the haircut)—"Have you heard the story about the guy that—(resuming business)—want it short, sir?" Customer (a third editor)—"Yes; a mere synopsis will do!"—Judge.

Hunters Contribute to Revenue. One of the important functions of the government in Germany is the raising of permits to hunters. The revenue thus obtained is about \$1,500,000 annually.

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ILLINOIS

G. O. P. MEN MEET

REPUBLICANS FROM ELEVEN STATES DEMAND THAT PARTY BE REORGANIZED.

PLAN NUMBER OF REFORMS

Senator Sherman Will Name Men Who Will Present Subject to National Committee and Champion the Cause.

Chicago, May 14.—Demand for a Republican national convention this fall was made by several senators of the United States upon the Republican national committee.

A proclamation to this effect was the result of the three days' conference held in the Congress hotel. The plan of the senators, headed by Albert J. Cummins of Iowa, is to change the rules of the Republican organization machinery in such manner as to answer the charges of a "stolen convention"—the cry that went up in the Chicago national Republican meeting of a year ago.

The changes desired by the senators are these:

Cutting down the basis of representation from the southern states to representation of the Republican vote and not on general population.

Delegates to be elected by the national committee.

Direct elections of delegates to national conventions giving indorsement to primary elections in a national sense.

The proclamation given out after the conference adjourned Monday follows:

"At an informal conference of Republicans from eleven states, held in Chicago May 12, 1913. It was voted that it would be submitted to the national Republican committee as the opinion of those present that a national convention of the party should be held this year at as early a date as may be practicable. The purpose is to consider the expediency of changing the basis of representation in future conventions so that delegates shall proportionately represent Republican voters and not general population.

"This is to the end that the will of the members of the party may be more accurately determined. Also for the purpose of changing the rules relating to delegates and members of the national committee so that the primary election laws of the various states shall be recognized and have full force.

"Also for the purpose of making such other changes in the methods of conducting national conventions and campaigns as shall conduce to giving the utmost possible effect to the principles and policies of the party.

"It was further the opinion that such a convention might properly and usefully take any other action desirable to reunite the party and to give assurances that it stands for constructive and progressive activities in the affairs of government to the end that the common welfare may be advanced.

"It was the unanimous belief of those present that the changes suggested should be made forthwith and that the national committee be strongly urged to take steps to such an end.

Lawrence Y. Sherman, senator from Illinois, who presided over the conference, was authorized to name a committee of three to present the proclamation to the executive committee of the party national organization in Washington on May 24. The official statement issued was prepared by a committee composed of Robert Luce, former lieutenant governor of Massachusetts; Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Senator W. S. Kenyon of Iowa, W. F. James, state senator of Michigan; J. A. Trotterman, state senator of Kansas.

Senator Borah protested, but was voted down by his associates. Senator Cummins and Herbert S. Hadley, former governor of Missouri, answered the objection of national committeemen to the convention idea. They do not believe the committee has the power arbitrarily to change the rules of the party.

PRINCETON WINS BOAT RACE

Defeats Harvard and Pennsylvania in Varsity Rowing Event at Cambridge by Quarter of Length.

Cambridge, Mass., May 13.—Princeton won the varsity boat race here Monday by a quarter of a length. Harvard was second and Pennsylvania third. The race was rowed as a post-race from last Saturday, when the high wind prevented the contest.

Still Seeking Missing Boy. Burlington, N. J., May 14.—Aided by the Boy Scouts, the police continue search for six-year-old Albert O. Smith, son of Alfred Smith, who is believed to have been kidnapped. The boy has been missing since May 9.

Diplomat Is Wed in Secret. Washington, May 14.—Diplomatic circles were treated to a surprise Monday when it was learned that Frederick O. Luthi, chancellor of the Swiss legation, was married last November to a Louisiana lady.

TARIFF BILL IS PASSED

MEASURE ADOPTED BY VOTE OF 281 TO 139.

Flood of Protests Await Its Appearance in Upper Body of Congress.

Washington, May 10.—The Underwood tariff bill, proclaimed by the Democratic party as the answer to its platform pledge to reduce the tariff downward, was passed by the house Thursday. The vote was 281 to 139, five Democrats voting against the bill and two Republicans voting for it.

Floods of protest from manufacturer, merchant, producer and foreign nations await the bill when it makes its appearance before the senate. The bill will be started upon its stormy way at once. Republican senators will open the fight by demanding public hearings. This will be defeated, but it is the purpose of the Democrats to give full hearings in committee to all classes of objectors.

The tariff bill, made record time through the house, but little more than two weeks having passed since it came from the ways and means committee. All amendments except those proposed by the committee were defeated. With the exception of Broussard of Louisiana, no Democratic member of the house proposed changes in the bill.

On final passage the Democrats voting against it were Epitaph, Dugree, Broussard, Watkins, Elder, Morgan, Lazare and Aswell of Louisiana and Charles B. Smith of New York. It received the votes of Kelly and Ruple of Pennsylvania; Bryan of Washington and Nolan of California, Progressives, and Cary and Stafford of Wisconsin, Independent Republicans.

HONOR MEMORY OF SCHURZ

Civil War Veterans Dedicate Monument to Their Former Comrade in Arms.

New York, May 10.—Civil war veterans who fought with Carl Schurz took part in the dedication of a memorial monument to him at Morningside drive and One Hundred and Sixteenth street on Saturday. Prominent persons were present and took part in the ceremonies. Joseph H. Choate presided and spoke, and speeches were made by Borough President McAneny, Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, and Congressman Richard Bartholdt. Among some of the veterans who fought with Schurz and who were present at the dedication today were Gen. P. J. Osterhaus, Gen. Horace Porter, Maj. Gen. Grönville M. Dodge, Gen. Adelbert Ames, Gen. James H. Wilson, Gen. J. Grant Wilson and Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles.

WILSONS GIVE GARDEN PARTY

President, Wife and Daughters Receive Guests Under Giant Oak in White House Grounds.

Washington, May 10.—The 400 flocked to the first of a series of garden parties to be given in the White House grounds by President and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson. The scene was ideally beautiful and the President and Mrs. Wilson, assisted by the Misses Wilson and Miss Helen Woodrow Bones, received their guests under the giant oak just back of the White House.

The celebrated White House punch, which is not made of grape juice and other refreshments were served.

BOAT OVERTURNS, SIX DROWN

Motor Launch Sinks "Deadhead" Breaking Rudder and Craft Drifts Against Submerged Pier.

Waukegan, Wis., May 13.—The overturning of a motor boat resulted in the death of six persons by drowning. The boat struck a "deadhead" and the rubber bar was broken allowing the boat to drift helplessly against a submerged pier which caused it to overturn. The dead: Herman Roebli, Gus Janke, Eleanor, Gertrude, Walter and Gustav Janke.

VINCENT ASTOR IS STRICKEN

Suffers From Severe Cold and Throat Trouble—Reception to Senators Abandoned.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 13.—Vincent Astor returned to Ferncliffe, his country home at Rhinebeck, Sunday, in a state of collapse and was so ill that the reception which he planned for the members of the senate committee on military affairs at Ferncliffe was abandoned. Mr. Astor is suffering from a severe cold and his throat has caused him much distress.

Freight Cars Go Into River.

Beloit, Wis., May 13.—A freight train going south on the Chicago & Northwestern road was wrecked Saturday at the base of the Big hill north of the city, and several cars were tumbled in the river. No one was hurt.

Arkansas Bank Is Blown.

Fort Smith, Ark., May 13.—Three men entered the First State bank at Bonanza, sixteen miles southeast of here, Saturday, dynamited the safe and escaped on horseback with between \$1,500 and \$2,000.

Nicaragua Seeks Foreign Loan.

San Juan Del Sur, May 13.—Nicaragua's government Saturday announced its intention of negotiating a foreign loan of \$4,000,000 to alleviate the financial situation. The new currency is being counterfeited.

VERY LATEST PARISIAN COIFFURES



In the center is a marcel-waved tight coiffure with a broad band held together by a pearl buckle which holds in place a black aigrette. On the left is a marcelled coiffure that is parted on the left with a knot in the back and an ornament of white beads and an aigrette. On the right is a very loose and full coiffure with bangs and a low knot twisted with a string of beads used as an ornament.

FIND BOMB IN CHURCH

SUFFRAGETTES PLACE EXPLOSIVE IN CATHEDRAL.

Verger Removes Infernal Machine After Hearing Ticking Sound Near Altar.

London, May 9.—Swift reprisals came from the militant suffragettes following the defeat of the bill giving women the ballot Tuesday in the house of commons.

The "arson squad" and the "bomb squad" were quickly at work. Police precaution had been greatly increased in anticipation of retaliation, but the women plotters were too adroit. Manifestations of suffragette terrorism Wednesday were:

Planting of an infernal machine in St. Paul's cathedral, probably the most cherished building in Great Britain.

Bomb placed in the entrance to a newspaper office in Fleet street.

Bomb on the steps of a wholesale drug house.

Burning of a pavilion in the cricket field at Bishop's Park, Fulham, West End of London.

Firing of a vacant house at Finchley, north of London.

Firing of timber-yard at Lambeth. A plot to wreck St. Paul's cathedral by a bomb is attributed to the militant suffragettes. The verger who conducts sight-seers through the massive edifice was making his rounds when he heard a ticking sound near the high altar.

He found hidden a heavy parcel done up in brown paper.

The defeat of the woman suffrage bill in the house of commons is generally attributed by the newspapers to the women themselves—the militant ones, whose lawbreaking tactics alienated the sympathies of suffrage supporters.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

Mexico City, May 9.—The rebels have captured the town of Uzuulama, in the state of Vera Cruz. It is reported the revolution in that state is spreading rapidly.

A government loan of 150,000,000 pesos has been obtained from a London syndicate, according to an official statement given out.

New York, May 10.—The election of C. S. Funk as president of the Rumely company, manufacturers of agricultural implements, was announced by the interests financing that corporation. Mr. Funk was for six years general manager of the International Harvester company.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 12.—Gibbs from acquaintances over his defeat for the office of school commissioner drove Frank Kosmowski to suicide Friday, according to a report submitted to Sheriff Becker by deputies.

Vancouver, B. C., May 10.—Hemmed in by flames, which started from some unknown cause, six members of the crew of the steamer Ophir, which sailed from Vancouver Thursday night and tied up at the Brunswick cannery, Canoe Pass, near Ladner, in the Fraser river, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the vessel.

Think Two Died in Fire.

Chatham, Ont., May 13.—Two men were burned to death and three others had narrow escapes in a fire which Saturday completely destroyed the building occupied by the Chatham Planet. The property loss was \$75,000.

Kaiser Is Robbed on Train.

Berlin, May 13.—According to the Morgen Post the emperor was robbed of two alligator handbags while returning by train from his recent visit to Strassburg. The handbags contained articles of personal use.

WILSON ASKS DELAY

REQUESTS GOV. JOHNSON TO DEFER ACTION ON ANTI-ALIEN LAW.

PROTEST FILED BY JAPAN

President Declares Through Bryan That He Is Ready to Co-operate With California in Systematic Effort to Correct Any Existing Evils.

Washington, May 13.—The federal government's final effort to delay alien land owning legislation in California was made Sunday when Secretary Bryan, in the name of President Wilson, telegraphed Governor Johnson notifying him that the Japanese ambassador had earnestly protested against the bill passed by the California assembly and urging that the governor postpone action by withholding his signature.

The statement in full is as follows: "The president directs me to express his appreciation of your courtesy in delaying action on the land bill now before you until its provisions could be communicated to the Japanese government and considered by it.

"His excellency, Baron Chinda, has on behalf of his government, presented an earnest protest against the measure. As you have before you but two alternatives, viz: to approve or to veto, it will avail nothing to recall to your attention the amendment suggested to the legislature and as the president has already laid before you his views upon the subject, it is unnecessary to reiterate them."

"He passes over questions affecting treaty rights for two reasons. First, because the bill passed by the legislature is avowedly intended to conform to treaty obligations, and second, because any conflict complained of would be a matter for the courts, but the president feels justified in expressing again his desire that action on the subject be deferred for this session, and he expresses the desire the more freely because the legislature can be reconvened at any time if the welfare of the state requires it. He is fully alive to the importance of removing any root of discord which may create antagonism between American citizens and the subjects of Oriental nations residing here, but he is impelled by a sense of duty to express the hope that you will see fit to allow time for diplomatic action. The nations affected by the proposed law are friendly nations—nations that have shown themselves willing to co-operate in the establishment of harmonious relations between their people and ours.

"If a postponement comments itself to your judgment the president will be pleased to co-operate in a systematic effort to discover and correct any evils that may exist in connection with land ownership by aliens."

Limit for Gotham Grifters.

New York, May 10.—Donnie Sweeney, John J. Martha, James E. Hucsey and James F. Thompson, former police inspectors convicted of conspiring to obstruct justice and to check graft revelations involving them, were sentenced to serve one year in the penitentiary and pay a fine of \$500 each. This is the maximum sentence.

Pockets Filled With Stones.

Kalamazoo, Mich., May 13.—The body of Barney Cryan, aged sixty, an Alaskan prospector, who returned to this city last winter, was found Saturday in the Kalamazoo river. His pockets were filled with stones.

Rescind Order on Nurses.

Washington, May 13.—The interstate commerce commission rescinded its decision holding nurses not to be a part of a family of a railroad official, and therefore not entitled to free transportation on railroads.

PHTHISIS CURE HIT

UNITED STATES EXPERTS CAN NOT INDORSE FRIEDMANN'S VACCINE.

GIVES WARNING TO PATIENTS

Physicians Declare Experiments So Far "Do Not Justify Confidences in Remedy Which Has Been Inspired by Widespread Publicity."

Washington, May 12.—In the opinion of the government surgeons who have been investigating the condition of patients that were inoculated by Dr. Frederick F. Friedmann with his tuberculosis vaccine the observations do not justify that confidence in the remedy which has been inspired by the widespread publicity given the "cure."

This first official conclusion from the tests was announced here Saturday before the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis by Dr. John F. Anderson, director of the government's hygienic laboratory, and Dr. A. M. Stimson, another public health surgeon, who were assigned to observe the progress of the Friedmann patients at Mount Sinai hospital in New York.

"We believe that at the present time," says their report, "we are not in a position to express an opinion based on the conditions under observation. The disease for which the remedy is used is prolonged and is characterized by periods of advancement and retrogression. It is also one in which psychic influences are a powerful factor. Time is therefore necessary to evaluate properly the effect of therapeutic measures. Without presenting in detail the condition of patients under observation, we are in a position to state that the facts thus far observed do not justify that confidence in the remedy which has been inspired by widespread publicity."

"In our opinion harm may have been done by this undue publicity in so far as it has lessened the confidence of tubercular persons in well-recognized methods of treatment or interrupted their use, and we are constrained to advise against any lessening of those well-known measures which not only had effected cures but which have reduced the incidence of the disease.

"In our series of patients, Dr. Friedmann has almost exclusively made use of the intramuscular method alone in pulmonary cases, and a very considerable proportion of them have either developed no considerable infiltrate at all or have suffered from abscess formations. It is evident, therefore, that a very considerable portion of these patients may expect their treatment at the hand of Dr. Friedmann to extend over a long period.

"Concerning the cultures submitted to us, we may state that a series of experiments is under way. The bacillus has been found to be an acid fast organism having properties quite different from those of any tubercle bacillus with which we are acquainted.

"We requested Dr. Friedmann to furnish us with a large amount of this material for examination, but this he has declined to do. We can state, however, that living acid fast bacteria are being injected by the intramuscular and intravenous method, although we are ignorant of what medium they are suspended in or what additional substance or substances may be contained in the final mixture."

MRS. THAW TO "COME BACK"

Wife of Slayer of Stanford White Will Return to the Stage in London.

Plymouth, May 10.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw has abandoned, temporarily, at least, her ambition to become a sculptress and will return to the stage. She has signed a contract with the Marcell Agency to tour music halls and vaudeville theaters of England and America. Her salary is given at \$5,000 a week. She will make her first appearance within a few weeks at a London music hall.

When seen aboard the Olympic, Mrs. Thaw said that she was going direct to Paris to continue her study of sculpture for a short time and will then go to London.

EX-SENATOR CULLOM IS ILL

Some Apprehension Felt Concerning Condition of Venerable Statesman Suffering From Cold.

Washington, May 13.—Former Senator Shelby M. Cullom of Illinois is ill at his residence here and some apprehension was felt Sunday about his condition. He caught cold several days ago and has been confined to his bed. Last winter he had a similar attack but recovered and took up his duties as resident commissioner of the Lincoln memorial commission.

Stomach Pad Latest Freak.

New York, May 12.—If a woman wants to be in the very latest mode she must adopt the Empress Eugenie pad. This device, which is now the rage in Paris and is a more or less modified bustle in front.

Funk Heads Rumley Firm.

New York, May 12.—The election of Clarence S. Funk as president of the Rumely company, manufacturers of agricultural implements, was announced Friday by the interests financing that corporation.

Nursery Maids

The Michael Reese Hospital offers a course of training to girls which prepares them to care for babies and children as nursery maids. The course includes care of children and babies in the wards and nurseries of the hospital; also classes in preparation of babies' food, in cooking, in sewing and in laundry work. Apply personally or by mail to the superintendent of the training school, MICHAEL REESE HOSPITAL, 25th and Groveland Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

Very Plain Criticism.

Children are not always grateful beings, and they are notably hard to entertain. At a birthday party a kindly natured adult had tolled hard in the effort to amuse the children by means of parlor magic, ventriloquism, burlesque dancing and the like. The other adults present were highly amused, and some of the children deigned to chuckle mildly. The mother of the hostess, however, felt that full justice had not been rendered, so before announcing refreshments she took pains to thank the entertainer, and to call the attention of the youngsters to his gifts.

"Mr. Blank is very funny, isn't he, children?" she concluded.

From the rear of the room came a small, shrill voice:

"Yesum, but not so funny as ho thinks he is!"

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Tact; Son Gets Down to Tacks.

Henry, age five, had two younger brothers. Henry's father had just moved, and was busy laying the kitchen linoleum. In order to facilitate the work he gave Henry the task of furnishing his with tacks. The little fellow worked faithfully for half an hour. Suddenly, however, he turned to his father and said:

"Papa, you like me best, don't you?"

"Oh, I like all my boys," said his father.

"But don't you like me a little better than the others?" queried Henry.

"I like all my boys equally well," answered the father.

"Well, papa," said the lad, after a moment of reflection, "what's the use of my handling you these tacks then?"

Militant Spirit.

We were lined up at the booking office window, taking our place. In front of me was a burly man. All went well until a woman broke the line and planked her two-piece in front of the burly man. The man swept it aside. "I've always taught my wife," he said, "to be polite to gentlemen." "I'm very glad I'm not your wife," said the woman. The man in front of me took his ticket and said, as he moved on, "I took that precaution some years ago."—London Chronicle.

Easy.

"I see you have a new cook," said Mrs. Keen, as she smiled at the hostess across the table.

"Yes," replied the hostess. "How did you know?"

"I've been studying the thumb prints on the plates," replied Mrs. Keen.

CLEARED AWAY.

Proper Food Put the Troubles Away.

Our own troubles always seem more severe than any others. But when a man is unable to eat even a light breakfast, for years without severe distress, he has trouble enough.

It is small wonder he likes to tell of food which cleared away the troubles. "I am glad of the opportunity to tell of the good Grape-Nuts has done for me," writes "N. H. man." "For many years I was unable to eat even a light breakfast without great suffering."

"After eating Grape-Nuts I would suddenly be seized with an attack of colic and vomiting. This could be followed by headache and dizziness, and would sometimes last a week or more, leaving me so weak I could hardly sit up or walk." "Since I began to eat Grape-Nuts I have been free from all the old troubles. I usually eat Grape-Nuts one or more times a day, taking it at the beginning of the meal. Now I can eat almost anything I want without trouble."

"When I began to use Grape-Nuts I was way under my usual weight, now I weigh 30 pounds more than I ever weighed in my life, and I am glad to speak of the food that has worked the change." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little booklet "The Road to Wellville" in packages. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? Answer one, appears from time to time. They are true, true, and full of human interest.

WASHINGTON GOSSIP

Handling of White House Mail Is Gigantic Task



WASHINGTON.—Silent, smooth, efficient is the business force in the office of the nation's chief executive at the White House. This total business staff, including ushers, messengers and no on, numbers little more than 40. And the modest one-story office annex to the White House does not represent more than a fraction of the floor space occupied by many a large corporation.

Handling the White House mail is one of the heaviest responsibilities of the business done there. It is doubtful if there is any other place where the incoming mail varies so tremendously from day to day. In addition, there is a rule that every letter addressed to the president shall be acknowledged from the White House, even though it is referred to some government department.

Moreover, there is a rule also to the effect that every letter received must be answered within 24 hours unless exceptional circumstances make this impossible. This policy of promptness taxes the resources of the White House business establishment when, as sometimes happens, the daily receipts jump

to 1,000 letters or more, often more. It is only fair to say, however, that such circumstances are exceptional, although many newspaper readers have been led to believe that the president received at least 1,000 letters every day of his occupancy of the office. As a matter of fact, there are weeks at a stretch when, under normal conditions, the daily mail will seldom exceed 200 letters and the average for long intervals during the last administration was in the neighborhood of 350 letters a day.

But this normal volume may be quickly changed to the abnormal. The appearance of some new national issue, an international crisis, an important declaration of policy by the president, a proposal of new legislation, or any one of a number of turns of affairs is likely to bring down upon the White House an avalanche of letter of inquiry, advice, commendation and criticism.

The president of the United States subscribes in effect to the policy of the man who has no mail delivered by carrier at his place of business, but instead rents a lockbox at the local post-office or nearest postal station. No mail is delivered by regular carrier at the White House. In fact, the president has his own special postman, a member of the messenger force at the executive offices, who is provided with a horse and buggy and who makes two or three trips daily to the Washington postoffice dispatching the outgoing mail and returning with the incoming.

Mann Said He Knew What All the Bills Meant

JAMES R. MANN, of Illinois, Republican leader in the house, bears the reputation of knowing more than any other man in the house about the legislation before that body. He has also a well-established reputation for being ready and able to talk on any subject at any time.

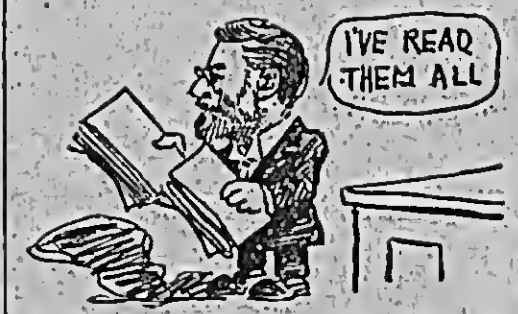
In the midst of one of the long night sessions near the close of the last congress some one proposed that the "private calendar" should be taken up, and that minor bills pending should be passed under suspension of the rules.

"I object!" shouted one member. "No man in the house knows what these different bills are!"

Mr. Mann, who was standing, reached into his desk and pulled out two big bundles. Holding them up, he said:

"Here are all the bills on the private calendar, and all the reports on those bills. I've read them all, and I know what each one means!"

Before the congress ended, Mr. Mann's colleagues in the house presented him with a costly watch, the presentation speech being made by "Uncle Joe" Cannon, and seconded by Speaker Clark.



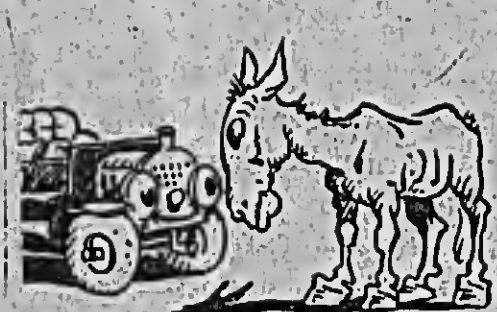
"It gives me great pleasure," said "Uncle Joe," amid the laughter of the house, "to present you with a stop watch."

During one of the lively debates near the end of the session a controversy arose as to who was "entitled to the floor." Speaker Clark tried to straighten it out, and in the midst of the discussion Representative Moore of Pennsylvania interrupted:

"Is not the present parliamentary situation this, that the gentleman from Chicago (Mr. Mann) has been caught asleep at the switch?"

"The chair is not going to rule that the gentleman from Chicago ever got caught asleep at the switch," replied Speaker Clark.

Horseless Age Near, Is the View of Experts



"I EXPECT to live to see the day when the keeping of horses in Washington will be prohibited on sanitary grounds, just as the keeping of pigs has been and the keeping of cowboys restricted." This is a statement made by C. G. Bell, one of the experts of the department of agriculture. Mr. Bell believes that Washington is a much cleaner city because of the introduction of automobiles, and that the tendency of the day is to eliminate horses in cities and restrict them to the country.

According to figures published by the department of agriculture, horse breeding is about the worst paying business that any one can go into. Inquiries were sent to 10 correspondents

and the average for the cost of raising a colt to three years old was taken for the entire country.

Counting the service fee, feed, veterinary bills and branding, the cost of raising a colt to three years old, even when making allowance for the farm work he does up to that age, is \$95.54. The selling price averages \$130.17. This is making no allowance for the mares that do not produce foals.

Officials of the division of animal husbandry who are co-operating with the army in raising remounts for the cavalry, say that the only hopeful thing shown by these figures is that the government free service and the price of \$150 paid by the army for three-year-olds helps out the average somewhat. Mr. Bell in discussing the matter said:

"While I think the government offer for army remounts is as fair as could be made under the circumstances, I certainly should not advise any one to go out and buy a lot of mares for the purpose of raising horses and selling them. There is no question that the automobile is hurting the horse business."

She Thought "Zey Tek" House Zey Tek Things So Calm

J. J. SPEIGHT, clerk of the house, committed on judicial is not at all the serious young man any one would take him to be. No, at all. In spite of the fact that Speight sits in that large and impressive committee room, which probably is with more money than all the halls of the continental congresses ever dreamed of, and in spite of the fact that he is steeped in the lore of trust, realizations, judicial secrets, past constitutional amendments, impeachment trials and Alabama politics, Mr. Speight is always ready with a witty little yarn.

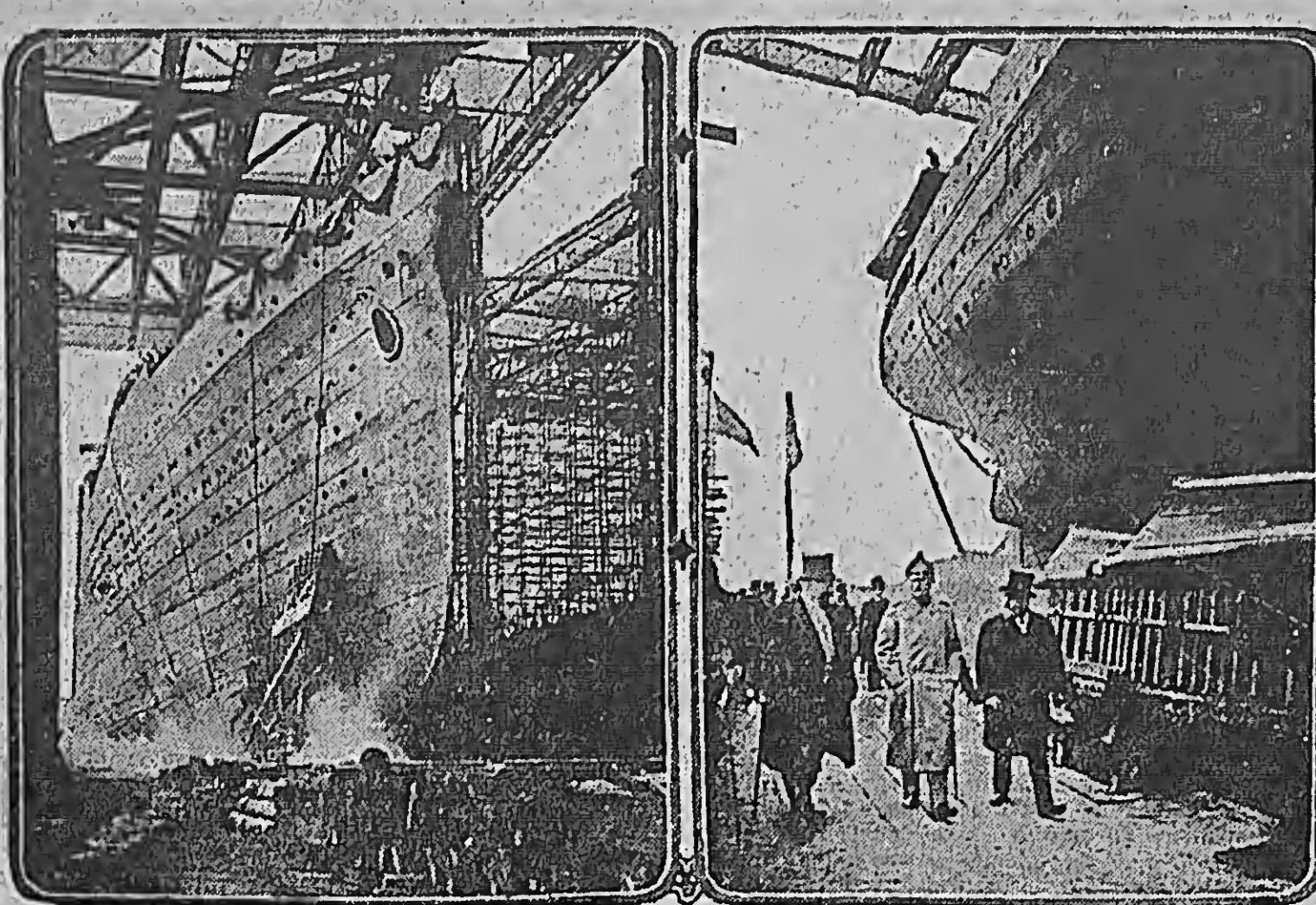
He says that one day the house of representatives was in a terrible uproar. Progressives were hurling old masses of obnoxiousness against the reactionaries. Representative Cooper of Wisconsin, who refuses to go into the house with any one, not excepting even Mr. Speight, was hurling defiance at Cannon from the rear line of the front. He ever and anon Representative would chirp feebly in reply



The speaker's gavel was tattooing volleys of protest and the intrepid Mann of Illinois was upsetting all hopes by his constant objections. There was a din that gave one a headache. A French woman was in one of the galleries, the guest of some member of the judiciary committee, and Mr. Speight was showing her around, and at the particular moment when the noise was at its height in the house she turned to her guide and said:

"Ah, Monsieur Speight, you have reason to be proud of ze house. In France zey are so boisterous. Here in ze house zey tek teange so calm."

LAUNCHING OF "VATERLAND," THE WORLD'S LARGEST STEAMER



To the left we see the great ship leaving the ways at Hamburg, Germany, and on the right Prince Rupprecht in uniform on the way to perform the christening ceremonies. The "Vaterland" is 850 feet long, 100 feet beam, speed 22 1/2 knots and will have lifeboats to accommodate 6,000.

PERISHED IN DESERT

Story of Burke and Wills' Fatal Exploring Expedition Recalled.

Disaster Caused by Bad Luck Due to Incompetence—Seven Members of Party Who Attempted to Cross Australia Succumb.

Sydney, N. S. W.—One of the saddest stories in connection with the exploration of Australia is that of Burke and Wills, whose monument forms one of the principal sights in Melbourne, a lofty pillar of stones in the Royal park, showing the precise spot whence the ill-fated explorers, accompanied by a party of thirteen others, including two German scientists, together with two years' supplies carried by camels, started in 1860 to cross Australia from south to north. Stuart had made an unsuccessful attempt fifteen years previously at a cost of £4,000 (\$20,000) to perform a similar feat, and Stuart had made two failures, although by a singular coincidence he ultimately succeeded in the attempt. The overland telegraph posts still in use mark the course which he took and he was borne through the streets of Adelaide in triumph, though a physical wreck, on the very day that the bodies of Burke and Wills arrived on their way to their last resting place in Melbourne.

The story, which is graphically told in life, is one of remarkable enterprise, equipped regardless of expense, utterly ruined by incompetence and bad luck, the one, indeed, being the cause of the other. Burke, who had been a captain in the Australian army and subsequently inspector of police at Melbourne, knew nothing of the Australian bush, was "haphazard" in his methods, kept no journal of his own on the expedition, and according to one who knew him well, "used to alter his mind so often that it was not possible at times to understand what he really did mean."

Lindell, who was originally second in command, left the expedition at an early stage, and predicted certain disaster at Cooper's creek. At Meindie, on the Darling, Burke and Wills, the surveyor, with six others pushed forward to Cooper's creek, leaving Wright to follow with the bulk of the supplies "at the earliest moment."

From Cooper's creek Burke again pushed forward with Wills, Kleg and Gray, half a dozen camels and an altogether inadequate equipment of stores, and made a dash for the sea, leaving Brahe with three men and ample supplies, verbally instructing him to follow on Burke's tracks when Wright arrived.

Burke managed to reach the Flinders, which had a tidal motion, showing that the sea was not far off, but, as the little party had nearly exhausted their provisions, they determined to return to the camp at Cooper's creek. On the way they lost one of the men from starvation, the single day's delay caused by burying their comrade being responsible for the death of both.

Various expeditions were organized from Melbourne to find the missing men, one of which discovered Kleg, a wasted figure, "covered with some scarerow rags and part of a hat," who showed them the place where Burke and Wills had died. It is a curious fact that, whereas Burke's last orders to Burke were that he should shoot the blacks down at once if they gave any trouble, they were almost the only ones who shed tears over his grave, and it was through their untiring kindness that Kleg's life was saved.

Altogether seven members of the expedition perished, while the sum actually spent on it amounted to \$257,000 (\$285,000), by far the largest sum, we are told, that was ever spent in an Australian history on a single exploring expedition. And yet, by a strange irony, though the weather conditions were perfect, food abund-

ant, stores ample, and there was every reason to expect that the expedition would be attended by greater results, it was a failure from beginning to end, from sheer lack of those qualities which, though all else may be provided, are in the long run indispensable to success.

SAYS CAPITAL IS HEARTLESS

Revolution Liable to Come Any Day, Hibernians Are Told by Dr. Kelly.

Sydney.—Dr. Kelly, the Roman Catholic primate of Australia, addressing the Hibernian society here, referred to the recent strikes and the threats of strikes and said:

"The contentions and strife between capital and labor may develop into a revolution any day, because capital is heartless and renders labor desperate, and because labor is emboldened by the success attending violence. Society with us is in a very serious and dangerous condition."

Dr. Kelly added that a "man must not put his hand into another man's pocket unless he is starving and his tongue is hanging out with thirst. Then he may take from another man's pocket."

Wants National Anthem Adopted.

Washington.—A joint resolution to make the "Star Spangled Banner" the official anthem of the United States has been introduced in congress by Representative Levy of New York. It provides that whenever the "Star Spangled Banner" is played on any occasion at any public place where persons belonging to any branch of the government service are present they will stand at attention, and all other persons will stand, such positions being retained until the last note of the anthem.

HELEN TAFT WILSON GUEST

Daughter of President Entertained Former Executive's Child at White House.

Washington.—A pretty friendship has sprung up between Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the former president, and Miss Jessie Wilson, daughter of the president of the United States. Recently Miss Taft lunched at the White House and greatly enjoyed the return to the scene of her former social triumphs.



Miss Jessie Wilson.

Miss Taft was in Washington to attend the marriage of Miss Alys Meyer, and was one of the bridesmaids. Invited to meet Miss Taft were

SHIP KILLS SEA MONSTER

Captain Reports Striking What He Thinks Was Species of Whale, Which Hung on Stem of Vessel.

New York.—Recently persons on a liner were sure they had seen a sea serpent fifty feet long foraging its way through the ocean at incredible speed. Capt. J. Tatt of another liner, gave this account of a collision with a monster of the deep:

"At 12:33 o'clock in the morning," said the captain, "an hour known as 'the graveyard watch' by marines, a shock was felt at the fore part of the ship. The liner had left Santa Maria on the day before, and was steaming at sixteen knots an hour along the Colombian coast toward Port Limon."

"After the shock the ship's speed seemed to diminish, although the engines were working well and the sea was smooth. It was bright moonlight. I went to the bow to see what was the matter, and found that we had struck a sea monster, which I estimated to be some forty-two feet long and three tons in weight. The collision killed the monster, and it hung on the stem so that we had to go astern to get clear of the body. This sank immediately, leaving the surface of the sea a bright crimson."

The captain said that the body had broad stripes on the back and head, with patches like textile prints the size of a hand on the sides. It was a species of whale now almost extinct, he thought. The shock aroused the passengers, who came on deck to look at the dead monster. One of the officers said that many strange serpents and large fish had been seen in the waters off the Colombian coast in the last three years of a species that had not been seen there since the days of the buccanniers on the Spanish Main. They thought that the blasting in the Panama canal had disturbed them in their submarine caverns and driven them to the surface of the sea.

HUSBANDS LEARN TO SEW

Pennsylvania Men Are Training for the Time When Their Wives Will Be Voters.

Picture Rocks, Pa.—Asserting they were fearful lest the ballot be granted to women and the husbands will have to do housework, the able-bodied men of this place have formed an organization known as the "Men's Sewing Square."

At their last meeting they brought sewing bags and their wives' stockings to mend, and began the task of playing the needle in order to ascertain if darning was as hard as they had always been led to believe.

The Rev. I. N. Earle, pastor of the Methodist church, who has been elected chairman of the "square," presided, and some of the work that the men performed is declared by their wives to have been far better than they could have imagined.

The men prepared a supper without women's aid, which they say they ate with relish, and were all home before 11 o'clock. The "square" will meet once a week.

Sheriff's Wife Holds Prisoner. Ellsworth, Me.—Mrs. F. O. Silsby, wife of the sheriff here, prevented the escape from the county jail of Edwin Goodman, seventeen years old, the confessed murderer of Capt. Harry O. Young. Goodman, aided by another prisoner, had overpowered a deputy sheriff and was taking his keys when Mrs. Silsby appeared. She locked the outer door of the jail and then sounded an alarm.

IT'S HARD TO WORK

It's torture to work with a lame, aching back. Get rid of it. Attack the cause. Probably it's weak kidneys.

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An Illinois Case

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HAVE LONG DURATION OF LIFE

Salt Water Donkeys Attain Immense Age, If Scientific Investigations Are Correct.

Water, particularly salt water, seems to conduce to longevity. There are gigantic muskels and oysters whose age is assumed to be comparable only with that of the Cape Verde baobab tree and the big tree of California, which live for 5,000 years. Indeed, there appears no particular reason why muskels should ever die, though it is also true that, considering the sort of life a mussel leads, there seems no particular reason why it should ever have lived.

Sea anemones, again, delicate and sensitive though they look when we see them in the rock pools, may attain great age. Sir John Dalyell, a Scottish naturalist, captured in 1833 a sea anemone of the liver-colored sort so common around our shores. Its age was then estimated at seven years. It flourished in Edinburgh until 1837, and was just attaining a vigorous and sober maturity when, from some unknown cause, it died.—London Mail.

Unnamed Heroine.

The anniversary is responsible for the publication of many reminiscences concerning the sinking of the Titanic. What the survivors and the chroniclers most like to dwell upon is the beresford displayed by passengers and crew aboard the vanished liner. There are tales of Major Butt, the Strausses, First Officer Murdoch and many others, who showed fine metal in the hour of disaster. But there goes quite unmentioned a year ago, the little English woman who said to the officer who would have thrust her into a lifeboat: "Oh, no, sir, I'm only a stewardess."

He May Be a Great Doctor Some Day.

William, aged five, had watched with much curiosity the family physician each day count his grandmother's pulse. When the doctor's visits ceased, William felt the responsibility of counting his grandmother's pulse daily. One morning William's father came into the room and found his young son looking thoughtfully at his tiny watch, his fingers on grandmother's wrist.

"Well, son, what is it today?" inquired the father. William looked grave, but without hesitation replied: "Ten dollars, sir."

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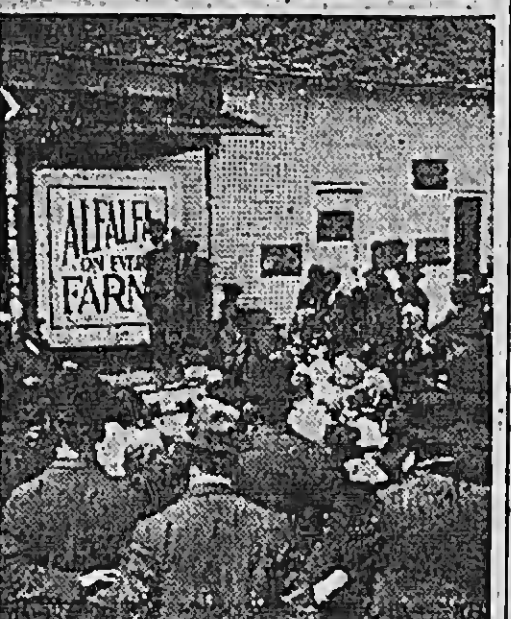
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[By Douglas Malcolm, of the I H C
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cently organized Kent County Alfalfa
Growers' Association. The big
"Automobile Special," in direct charge
of the Grand Rapids Association of
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effort of the Agricultural Extension
Department of the International Har-
vester Company of New Jersey to car-
ry out their avowed purpose of
establishing alfalfa on every farm in
the Corn Belt. Professor Perry G.
Holden, the well-known Iowa corn
expert, whose services were recently
secured by that company, and Federal
Agent J. H. Skinner of the United
States Department of Agriculture,
were the chief missionaries of this
wonderfully profitable but sadly



Prof. Perry G. Holden addressing the
farmers of Kent County, Mich.,
from back steps of a farm house.

neglected forage crop. A systematic
census from farm to farm, grange to
grange, and oftentimes from field to
field was made in an effort to
bring to the farmer in his own
home the facts and figures which have
been stored up in the pamphlets and
archives of the agricultural schools
and colleges.

Taking part in the campaign, either
in an advisory capacity or as speak-
ers, were the following members of
the Agricultural Extension Depart-
ment: C. M. Carroll, formerly with
the Crop Improvement Committee; W.
R. Baughman, a prominent rancher and
alfalfa grower of Texas; J. E. Wag-
goner, formerly of the Mississippi
Agricultural College; R. W. Lamson
of Iowa; J. E. Buck of Chicago; C. W.
Farr, assistant county superintendent
of Cook County, Illinois; the Hon. G.
H. Alford of Georgia; and C. H. Allen,
a retired banker of Ohio.

That the farmers were ready for
the blessings which alfalfa strewn
over a neighborhood which gives it a
neighborly welcome, was evidenced
everywhere by the crowds that
greeted the campaigners at every
stop. At no time were any of the
speakers without an encouraging
audience, and on some occasions the
party was obliged to divide, a part ad-
dressing the school children while
others spoke to the farmers. The ad-
vent of the cortège into a community
was made Alfalfa Day in the schools.
In the towns the children paraded out
to meet the autos, singing special al-
falfa songs and waving flags. It is
estimated that between three and
four hundred farmers in that one
county alone pledged themselves to
make a start with alfalfa and do it
according to the rules laid down by
Federal Expert J. H. Skinner.

Kent County, in the census of 1910,
was credited with raising only 73
acres of alfalfa, but all indications at
the present time are that by 1915
there will be 10,000 acres flourishing
with this legume. It was shown that
on the typical sand or clay loams east
of the Mississippi alfalfa could be
raised as easily and as surely as
clover yielding three crops a season
and that it was the greatest plant the
farm world has yet discovered for
extracting nitrogen from the air and
storing it up in the soil, thus re-
juvenating run down and over-crop-
ped farms.

The Corn Belt farmer in alarm at
his annually diminishing yields, is
turning to alfalfa as his one great
hope, and the huge call sounded in
Kent County is re-echoing in the en-
tire eastern states. As we go to
press, a similar campaign is going on
in Allegan County, Michigan; the To-
ledo Commercial Club is about to
wage a powerful alfalfa propaganda
in the ten western counties of Ohio.
Feelers have been put out by the
Connecticut agriculturists for turning
the entire I H C Agricultural Exten-
sion Department batteries on that
state for a state-wide campaign to in-
troduce alfalfa on the seaboard. Its
seem to be unlimited, and the next
step is that by the next
year alfalfa may be wrested
from the brow of the
farmer.

ATTRIBUTES OF NUMBER 7

Numerals Associated Usually With
Holy Things—Original Jokes
Known to Mankind.

Pythagoras declared that while the
number three contained the most sub-
lime mysteries, the number seven is
powerful for good or evil and is as-
sociated especially with holy things, re-
marks Philip Hale in the Boston Her-
ald. There are seven deadly sins
among Christians and Moslems; the
seven champions of Christendom; the
seven league boots, the seven sages of
Greece, the seven sleepers of Ephesus,
the seven sorrows of Mary, the seven
heavens known to the cabalists, the
seven virtues, the seven wonders
of the world, the seventh son of a sev-
enth son. In the early church there
could be only seven deacons to each
town. Jacob served seven years for
Rachel. In the Bible we read of seven
bullocks, rams, men, sons, spirits,
stars, seals.

The strong gods pine for my abode,
And pine to vain for the sacred seven.
And why should there not be seven
original and only jokes? We have
never seen them in print or manu-
script. Undoubtedly one of them had
something to do with a mother-in-law.
Possibly "When is a door not a door?"
was one of them. Of this we may be
sure. Jokes told in the ark are re-
peated confidently today in musical
comedies, comic papers, clubs and
even by the happy fireless.

NOT NOW "GOD'S ANOINTED"

Kings Seem to Have Lost Much of
Glamour With Which They Once
Were Surrounded.

See (or behold) the king!
No one sees a king, unless, possibly,
at a game of poker. The proper thing
is always to behold him.
The king presides at functions, at-
tends the race track, issues messages
to constitutional bodies which have
previously been written by the min-
isters, piles up debts and leads a dou-
ble life. He also attends wars, where
he occupies an important strategic
position (with the other statesmen
who have brought on the war) at a
place called "headquarters," which is
usually about eighteen miles in the
rear of the battle.

Some say that the king is a back
number. He has been held up to ridi-
cule so long that even the proletariat
is no longer in awe of him. Still, by a
sort of royal inertia, he continues to
exist—like the vermiform appendix.

Some kings are fat and others are
thin; some tall and others short; all
kings are uneasy; this king is an ex-
ception to the rule. He has a number
of crowns, some of them larger than
others, in order to fit the various sizes
of his head.

He keeps on hand a collection of
prerogatives, which he uses more
sparingly than was his wont.

The king usually keeps a dress suit
case packed with a few necessary
clothes in the event that he may have
to leave the throne and his creditors
in a hurry. This shows that kings are
oftentimes wiser than they seem.—
Life.

Primitive Farming in Spain.
In some parts of Spain, as in the
Seville district, there are many large
farms ranging from 1,000 acres up
to 10,000 or even more. In other parts
of the country thousands of peasants
till little plots of from two acres to
five acres apiece. There the use of
modern farm machinery makes very
slow progress.

Modern Drama.
The plays we think we ought to see,
they send up fast asleep; the plays
that we would like to see—to them
we don't creep; the plays that
people talk about strike us as rather
small; and the plays that people take
us to—oh, they're the worst of all.

Signs Can Be Seen From Afer.
Experiments in France with huge
signs to be displayed on the roofs of
buildings for the guidance of aviators
have shown that signs made of sil-
vered glass balls, set in a black back-
ground, can be seen the greatest dis-
tances.

Current Growing a Greek Monopoly.
Many efforts have been made to
grow so-called Greek currants in other
countries, but always without success;
and these very small, very sweet and
seedless grapes continue to be a
monopoly of certain districts in
Greece, where they constitute the
chief agricultural industry. The yield
in an average year is about 160,000
tons.

LARGE FAMILIES IN CHINA

Inhabitants of Celestial Republic Proud
of the Number They Can "Us-
ter Under One Roof."

The Chinese are proud of large fam-
ilies, and a large family living together
under one roof is looked upon as proof
of the good temper and correct course
of life of its members and as a sure
path to prosperity. A large family
which is able to live together without
dividing up the property always re-
ceives much credit and is highly re-
spected. It is one of the highest dis-
tinctions in China to have Yu Fu
Tung Tang, or five generations, un-
der one roof, although such a distinc-
tion is attained by very few.

According to a recent census the
family of Meng Yu Shih, a widow of
the village of Mantao, in the territory
of Wei-hai-wei, has the distinction of
being the largest in the land. Her
family consists of 66 members, and,
with one servant, there are 67 mouths
to be fed daily.

Meng Yu Shih is sixty-six years old
and has nine sons and numerous grand-
children and great-grandchildren, all
living under her roof. She has not at-
tained the ambition of being the head
of Wu Fu Tung Tang, but the size of
her family has already given her the
honor and pleasure of being the
largest in China, even if she has not
five generations under one roof.

There are many households with
more than 40 members, and almost all
old and distinguished families of China
have at least 20 members. Families
of small size, three or four, are con-
sidered rather bad form, even if they
are rich and occupying high position.
Size of family is as valuable in China
as size of strong-box.

FIND CURE IN OCCUPATIONS

Many Employments, by Their Very
Nature, Give Strength to the Persons
Who Are Engaged Therein.

But few people are aware that there
are occupations that bring health, just
as those others bring disease in their
train. There is, for instance, the
cool tar occupation.

Tar, with its strong, clean odor, acts
as an antiseptic, and those who work
in tar are immune to epidemic dis-
eases. They are also very robust. The
feeble and anemic, taking up this
trade in its various forms—the making
of dyes, the preparation of disinfect-
ant—soon become strong.

Steel workers also profit in health
from their occupation. The molten
steel gives off certain gases that have
a beneficial effect on the lungs and
nasal passages. Though subjected to
extremes of heat, steel workers prac-
tically never get consumption or ca-
tarrh.

Dairying is another healthful occu-
pation. Jenner of smallpox fame dis-
covered that dairymen never get small-
pox. It is also true that they prac-
tically never get consumption.

Bakers, if their bakeries are but
clean and airy, follow a trade that fat-
tens the veriest skeletons. Butchers
are noted for their ruddy, robust build,
they, like the bakers, seeming to ab-
sorb through their pores the nutriment
they work in. Chocolate and cocoa
makers in like manner are stout,
healthy folk.

It is well known that sealing wax
making is good for consumption—that
for incipient consumption it is, indeed,
almost a certain cure. All sealing wax
factories have on their walls list a
number of consumptives, anxious to try
the occupational.

Their Destination Uncertain.
She was hurriedly adjusting her
veil, and had but a few moments in
which to catch her ear. "Oh, dear,"
she murmured, "I can't find a pin any-
where. I wonder where all the pins
go to, anyway?" "That's a difficult
question to answer," replied her prac-
tical husband, who was standing by.
"Because they are always pointed in
one direction and headed in another."

Nail Will Stay.
When a nail is so soft that it will
not hold a picture nail, mix a little
plaster of paris in a teacup, enlarge
the hole to a fair size and insert the
plaster, and, a minute after, the nail—
and let it dry. The nail will be per-
fectly secure after it has dried.

Tracing Journey of Storms.
By putting rings on the legs of
storms about to migrate southward
from countries in northern Europe,
where they spend the warm months,
it has been found that they often go
all the way to South Africa, usually
passing around the east end of the
Mediterranean instead of across that
sea.

AUCTION SALE

The undersigned will sell at Public
Auction in the rear of the store former-
ly occupied by Tiffany & Felter, on
Saturday, May 17

Commencing at 2 o'clock sharp the
following property to wit:

Gale walking plow, Keystone hay
loader, Keystone side rake, 2 Deering
hay tedders, Gale pulverizer, harrow
cart, McCormick corn binder, Hoosier
drill, 2 manure spreaders, washing
machine, potato digger, set Deering
rake wheels, 2 bundle carriers for Deer-
ing corn harvester, 2 small heating
stoves, second hand base burner, set of
counter scales, upright show case, cut-
lery show case, 140 rods of 26-inch
woven wire, 500 account McCassey reg-
ister, 250 gallon Bowser gasoline outfit,
gasoline lighting system.

Usual terms.
Tiffany & Felter, Prop.
Geo. Vogel, Auctioneer.

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tion lot 5, Stanton's sub Fox
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Sandahl and wf lot in Village
of Rondout w d 400 00

Ella Whipple and hus to V. H.
Whipple S 90 1/2 ft lot 3, Con-
verse's sub, Wooster Lake
w d 5000 00

Arthur Bissell to R M Bissell
undivided 1/4 n e 40 acres n w
1/4 sec 35, Libertyville twp w d 1500 00

W B Walrath and wf to Julia
Alfson lot 127 shaws sub in
sec 35 w Antioch twp w d 1 00

C N Durand and wf to A J.
Austin lots 24 and 25, blk 1,
Wrights add Libertyville w d 650 00

"Rings" From Smoking Volcanoes.
A smoking volcano very often blows
rings just like a man who is medita-
tively puffing a cigar. Sometimes
these rings are five or six hundred
feet across. In both cases the "smoke"
consists of a cloud of fine particles
which show the existence of a vortex,
the ring itself being a rotating
mass of gas or air.

The Crank.
"Is Jinks a confirmed pessimist?"
"Yes; he will never try to talk over
a telephone because he says that the
one of the 9,000,000 in the United
States which would be of service to
him is sure to be in use."

Didn't Dare to Go to Work.
"I say, Tom, lend me another ten,
will you?" "Heavenal! Why don't you
go to work and earn money?" "Don't
dare to, my boy. People would think
the governor had disinherited me, and
that would ruin my credit."

DEAR MR. CUSTOMER:—

Don't be weak on the price proposition,
it's really a secondary consideration.

"Quality is remembered long after price is
forgotten"

A growth based on honest endeavor to give qual-
ity, to emphasize the good, to avoid error, is permanent
and carries within itself an impetus for continual
advancement.

We handle the very best material on the market,
and our prices are based upon the Quality of the
article.

PLUMBING & HEATING, a specialty.
Strictly sanitary plumbing (Guaranteed)
whether your water supply is from city or other-
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Prices and Estimates given on the following

Hot water, steam, warm air furnace heating, acetylene
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Only a Few More Days of These Wonderful Suit Bargains

You can't afford to be putting off attending this big Special Purchase sale
of men's clothing any longer. To you it is a matter of dollars and cents, but you
must act now. As thrifty buyers are taking these suits fast, delay on your part
might be the result of some one else getting your particular suit—the style, cut,
shade, material and size that is just suited to your individuality—and saving that
\$5.00 to \$10.00 that you might have saved.

These suits are well tailored matials, consisting of blue serges, gray serges
in plain, stripes, and the soft finished cassimers, cheviots and worsteds including
all the popular novelties in the seasons latest models, worn by middle aged men
and the young fellows who demand individuality in their clothes.

\$11.50 For Suits Worth \$16.50

Suits that were were made to sell at
\$16.50, they come in a large assortment
of two and three button models, in broad
shouldered, German and English roll
lapel, in English or conservative makes, in
gray, blue, brown, fan-
cies, and check in
all sizes, priced now at

11.75

\$7.95 For Suits Worth \$12.50

These suits are in a large range of
materials and in all the desired colors and
shades, in two and three button broad
shouldered or English effects, sizes youths
14 years, with long pants, to 42 in mens,
including slims and stouts,
regular \$12.50 suits
at

7.95

\$19.75 For Suits Worth \$30.00

In this group are regular \$30.00
suits in a wide range of materials in
the newest shades of gray, tan, blue
and black, in plain, stripe, and fancies,
with linings of mohair, serge and wor-
steds, hand worked collars, hand pad-
ded shoulders and shape retaining
fronts, in the latest
models, all sizes
at

19.75

\$15.85 For Suits Worth \$22.50

The suits in this lot are strictly hand
tailored, all wool garments, guaranteed
to give entire satisfaction in fit, mater-
ials and wear, the materials are
serges, cheviots, cassimers and
worsteds in a large variety of gray,
tan, and blue, in stripe and shepard
checks, in all sizes.
These \$22.50 suits
at

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At the Shoe Store

Some very good bargains this week in
men's heavy work shoes

\$2.25 worth \$3.00

Men's Elk Skin Shoes

\$2.00 worth \$2.50

Also some women's and children's shoes all
well worth investigating

Antioch Cash Shoe Store
GOOD SHOES

Special Sale of Boy's
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The
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Saving on Men's Trousers,
Shirts and Furnishings

LOCAL ITEMS

Local Announcement and the
Elgin Butter Market.

ELGIN, ILL., May 12—The committee declared butter at 23c.

Gasoline stoves at Hunt's. adv

B. V. D. and Porus knit union suits, at Webb's. adv

Anything in up-to-date hats for men and boys at Webb's. adv

Raymond Tiffany left Tuesday night for Chetek, Wis.

Leslie Rogers of Kolze visited relatives here over Sunday.

The Misses Elsie and Ruth Williams were out from Chicago over Sunday.

Mrs. Somerville and son Earl spent the latter part of last week in Chicago.

Miss Marie Clark of Elgin is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Kettler.

For Sale—A set of 16-foot oak, bar fixtures in good condition. Inquire at this office. adv 34-1f

Mrs. Homer Galpin of Chicago is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Tiffany and family this week.

Killing frosts visited this locality Friday and Saturday nights of last week doing considerable damage.

There will be German Lutheran services at the Christian Church on next Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Latest things in up-to-date shirts at Webb's.

Remember the base ball benefit dance at the Antioch opera house, Wednesday, May 21. Give the boys a lift.

Notice—Those owing me for colt fees will confer a favor by sending same to W. G. Thom, North Bend, Neb. 34-2m

Thos. Coole put up a sixty barrel Hurst Concrete stock tank with a seven foot concrete platform around it on E. J. Lehmann's Model Barn at Lake Villa recently.

For Sale or Rent—An eight room house, barn, good garden, electric lights and city water. Possession can be given soon. Mrs. Vida S. Mooney, Antioch. 36-1f

There will be a special meeting of Olson Camp R. N. A., in their hall Saturday afternoon for the transaction of general business. Artie Grice, Oracle.

Antioch base ball club will cross bats with the celebrated "hard-hitting" Witmot team Sunday, and there certainly will be "something" doing. Admission 25 cents.

For Sale—At Overton's Drug Store, The Celebrated "Bright Light" metal polish, in one pound packages, for cleaning tanks, bath tubs, automobile trimmings and all kinds of metals. 4w

The old soldiers will hold a meeting in the church basement Saturday evening May 20, at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of making arrangements for Decoration day. All old soldiers are requested to be present.

By order of Committee.

Conclusion Too Easily Drawn.

"It seems to me," quoth the person who habitually does his thinking with the heavy stroke upward, "that sometimes the editorial writers on The Star underestimate the intelligence of the public. For example, in referring to the outbreak of a gentleman who drank a pint of whisky on Saturday and awoke on Tuesday in jail with the charge hanging heavily over his head of having set fire to two houses and a barn, the writer of the item sarcastically commented, 'Drunk, of course,' people will say, 'Now, I would like to imagine that poor, misguided gent was rehearsing a vaudeville act?'"

Spent Less Than You Earn, is Rule.

Save a little every week, and when you get an increase of wages or salary continue to live within the former limits and save the increase. If you find it difficult to save, go in debt for a home or undertake some other obligation in the way of investment that will compel you to save. In these days, of course, the average man has better opportunities to win success in salaried positions than in individual enterprise. The big enterprises pay big salaries at the top, and close application will win promotion toward these bigger rewards. It is not necessary for a man to get a big salary before he begins to put money aside.—Henry E. Huntington, Financier, of Los Angeles.

The Pastor was in Chicago this week to arrange for the Pipe Organ recital and was fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Ernest A. Todd, one of Chicago's leading tenor singers, who will assist Mr. Kurzenknebe, the organist. A program will soon be printed.

Preaching next Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. Morning topic, "The Rich Man and Lazarus." A. O. Stixrud, Pastor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Espey spent Saturday in Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Gray was a Chicago passenger Saturday.

Mrs. J. Haycock and Miss Belle Hughes were Chicago visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Oscar Thorp of Fond du Lac, Wis., was calling on Antioch friends Sunday.

Wanted—To Rent for the season, a gentle horse that a lady can drive. F. E. Groth, Loon Lake, Telephone 2011 Antioch. adv 35-1f

For Sale—Tomato, cabbage, cauliflower, aster, salvia, pansy and other bedding plants and also dahlia tubers. Mary G. Jamieson. adv

The Liberty Cemetery Helpers will meet with Mrs. Charles Sibley, Tuesday afternoon, May 20. All are invited. Maude S. Robbins, Sec.

B. J. Rosecrans and wife, who have resided on the Judge Cooper farm north-east of town, will move the last of the week to Potosky, Mich., their old home. They have made many friends while here who regret their departure, but wish them luck in their new home.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our thanks and appreciation to those who assisted us by any act of kindness during the sickness and death of our husband and father.

Mrs. William G. Bartlett
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ziegler.

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We wish to thank those who were so kind to us during the sickness and death of our daughter, especially those who sent flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. August Rentner.

M. E. CHURCH NOTES

The Pipe Organ was ordered last Saturday and will be ready for the opening recital Saturday, July 5th. We are now making an effort among the few who have not yet been solicited for the organ, to help us liquidate a small balance of church debt amounting to about \$100. This additional amount would make our church entirely free from debt and we would more easily be able to take care of our running expenses.

The Pastor was in Chicago this week to arrange for the Pipe Organ recital and was fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Ernest A. Todd, one of Chicago's leading tenor singers, who will assist Mr. Kurzenknebe, the organist. A program will soon be printed.

Preaching next Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. Morning topic, "The Rich Man and Lazarus." A. O. Stixrud, Pastor.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Only two weeks left before our summer vacation begins! The first fourth-year class ever graduated from the Antioch school will receive diplomas at the close of school. Antioch high school has never had a four year course until this year and it is to be hoped that another year will never pass with out Antioch having a 4th-year graduating class. The most advanced class ever graduated from Antioch was the third year class of 1904 (which was 9 years ago,) and there has been no graduating class of any sort since 1906 (which is 7 years ago.) Unless something serious happens there will be another 4th year graduating class next year and it is to be hoped that it will continue to be so every year from now on.

The eighth grade final examination will be given Monday, May 19.

Where were the greater share of the H. S. pupils Friday afternoon? Why weren't Hester, Pauline and Laurel with the rest?

The Greens don't seem to be able to live up to their motto "Anti-Can't."

Mary suddenly became elevated to the position of principal. (This all happened Monday a. m.)

The Greens are greener than they thought they were. Ask them the score of the basket ball game last Thursday.

Score 15 to 14 in favor of the Greens. Well, I guess not, not when the Pink's were around to prove their "grit and glory."

The high school will have no school Monday, May 19.

Diet and Longevity.

From a town upon the Atlantic coast of New Jersey there is announced the death last week of a resident whose years numbered 104. There are other recent records of centenarians, but none, perhaps, in which is indicated so directly the contributory cause of longevity.

Here it is specified with great particularity: "He ate large quantities of oysters and very little meat." Other claimants for discovery of the secret of long life have told of their temperance in artificial indulgence—in tobacco and in stimulants. They persisted upon the earth because they avoided popular temptations.

Not so this veteran of New Jersey. He tasted the "lightning" beverage of that state as his appetite impelled him; he drank on the average eight cups of so-called coffee each day, but he fortified nature by swallowing "large quantities" of oysters.—Boston Journal.

Nebby hats and caps for little boys at Webb's. adv

Have you seen these new Staver buggies at Hunt's. adv

Mrs. Eva Harrison left Wednesday for a few days visit in Chicago.

For Sale—Early Longfeller seed corn, tested and proved. J. H. Van Patten, Antioch. 3w adv

There will be a dance at Baethke's hall, Trevor, Friday evening, May 23. Hanneman's orchestra will furnish the music.

Lost—An Ignitor from a gasoline engine between Antioch and L. H. Pafahl's. Finder please leave at the Antioch Garage. adv

Wanted—Reliable, energetic man to sell Lubricating oils, greases and paints in Lake and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Statson Oil company, Cleveland, Ohio. adv

Agents Wanted—Highest cash weekly and part expenses. Outfit free. Home territory. Experience unnecessary. Our contract the fairest ever written. Under our plan you can make \$20 per week and up, over and above expenses. Write Hawks Nursery company, Wauwatosa, Wis.

The New Ideal

A magazine for the music-lover, published monthly. Leave your order at the Fulton Music company. Six popular hits each month. 20 cents per copy. Get it.

Just an Indian Story.

Tourists visiting most cities of the United States are the objects of many quips and jests gotten off at their expense by megaphone men accompanying sight-seeing autos.

The latter part of January a party was being taken through one of the prettier streets of Jacksonville, Fla. The street car tracks are in the center of this thoroughfare and small parking places are between the car lines and the driveways.

In these parking plots are hundreds of large palm-trees. These plants are replaced by the city year by year as they die or become injured in any manner.

"Oh, the beautiful palms!" exclaimed a comely matron considerably under thirty.

"I do wonder how they came here?" was the query propounded by another woman tourist.</

